



Agenda Date: 4/25/01

Agenda Item: V.A

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

***Board of Public Utilities***

*Two Gateway Center*

*Newark, NJ 07102*

**WATER AND WASTEWATER**

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF )	ORDER SUSPENDING INCREASES,
ROXITICUS WATER COMPANY FOR AN )	CHANGES OR ALTERATIONS IN
INCREASE IN RATES AND CHARGES )	RATES FOR SERVICE
FOR WATER SERVICE )	
)	DOCKET NO. WR01030194

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

On March 29, 2001, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12, Petitioner, Roxiticus Water Company, a public utility of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities and serving approximately 108 water customers within a portion of the Township of Mendham, Morris County, filed a petition for a revision of its rates, amounting to an increase of approximately \$75,966 or 110.22% in annual revenues, with rates proposed to become effective on May 4, 2001.<sup>1</sup>

It appearing that the proposed revisions will increase existing rates and change or alter existing classifications in Petitioner's tariff, it is HEREBY ORDERED that:

(1) Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, the proposed revisions be, and are suspended until September 4, 2001, unless the Board prior to that date makes a determination disposing of the petition;

(2) Petitioner shall, at least ten (10) days prior to the date set for hearing on the petition by the Office of Administrative Law, file with this Board and with the Office of Administrative Law (185 Washington Street, Newark, N.J. 07102) proof of compliance with the Notice provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:2-32.2 and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12 (b) and (c), which Notice shall include a statement that any relief found by the Board to be just and reasonable may be allocated by the Board to any class or classes of customers on any rate or schedule as the Board may determine; and

(3) Petitioner shall, at the same time it files with this Board, also file proof of service of copies of this Order upon the Office of Administrative Law, the Division of the Ratepayer Advocate (31 Clinton Street, P.O. Box 46005, Newark, NJ 07102), the

<sup>1</sup> This filing also included a separate request for issuance of a promissory note (Docket No. WF01030195).

clerks of each affected municipality, the clerks of the Boards of Chosen Freeholders of each affected county, and where appropriate, the executive officer of each affected county within its service area. Service of the petition, notice of hearings and this Suspension Order may be made simultaneously.

DATED: **4/27/01**

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES  
BY:

**(SIGNED)**

CAROL J. MURPHY  
ACTING PRESIDENT

**(SIGNED)**

FREDERICK F. BUTLER  
COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

**(SIGNED)**

FRANCES L. SMITH  
SECRETARY